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## THE CLASS OF 1959 DEDICATES THE YEARBOOK TO MR. B. Y. KIHSTROM

Although many words of appreciation could be written about Mr. Kihlstrom, our feelings are summed up with these four sincere words -- Friend, Teacher, Musician, Scholar. It has been a privilege to know him. His friendly smile, gentle direction and dedicated teaching will ever be an inspiration to us.

# ADMINISTRATION

*The quality of mercy is not strained;  
It droppeth, as the gentle rain from heaven  
Upon the place beneath; it is twice bless'd —  
It blesseth him that gives, and him that takes.*

SHAKESPEARE

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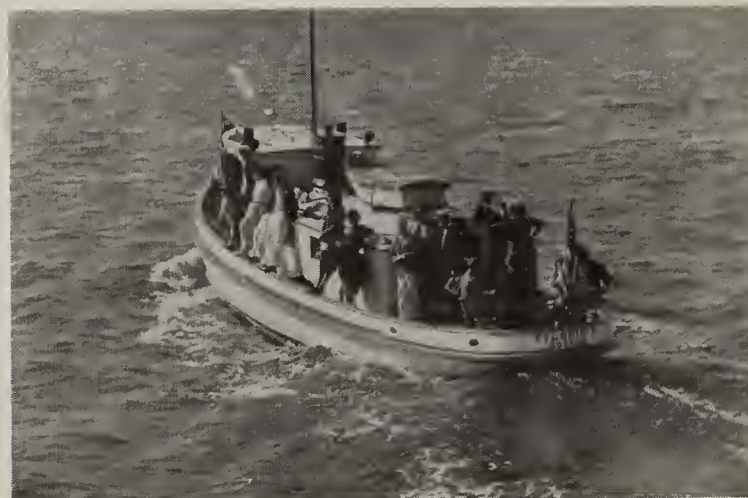
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The headmaster of the Thompson Academy our Leader and Teacher.

THE STAFF



TOP ROW, from left: Mr. Norman Cox, Mr. William Cuning, Mr. Ralph Lindsey, Mr. Castro Campaiola, Mr. John Gralenski, Mr. Malcolm Giles, Mr. John E. Lennon, Mr. James Monroe, Mr. Paul Klump. MIDDLE ROW, from left: Mr. Clifton E. Albee, Mr. Raymond Thomas, Mr. Frank Cormier, Mr. Ralph E. Stevens, Mr. Robert R. Kitching, Mr. Bror Y. Kihlstrom, Mr. Harold Evans, Mr. Stacy Thompson. BOTTOM ROW, from left: Mrs. Elisabeth Lindsey, Mrs. Phyllis Champagne, Mrs. Mary Cuning, Mrs. Wilhelmina Thomas, Mr. H. D. Pearl, Mrs. Belle Urie, Mrs. Belzemire Cormier, Mrs. Laurette Cox.





# SENIORS

*Tomorrow, and tomorrow, and tomorrow,  
Creeps in this petty pace from day to day,  
To the last syllable of recorded time; . . .*

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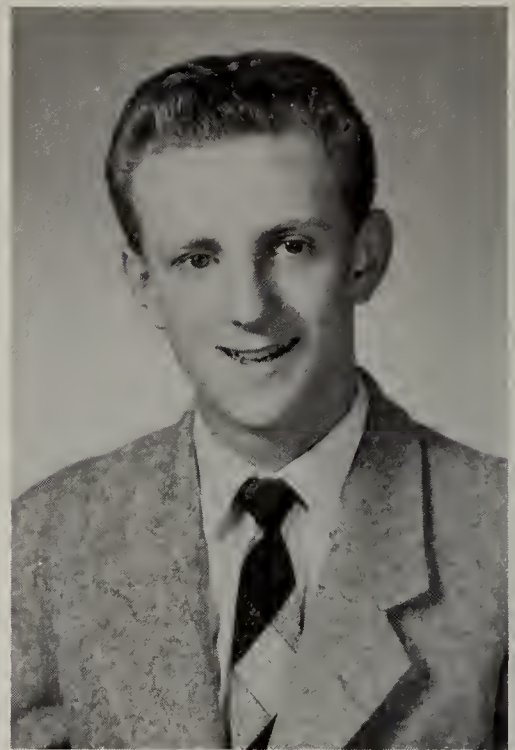


LEROY ANDERSON

Fire Brigade 3, 4; Music Group 4.

GEORGE ARGYLE

Drill Team 2; Int. Basketball 2, 3; JV Baseball 2, 3; V Basketball 4.

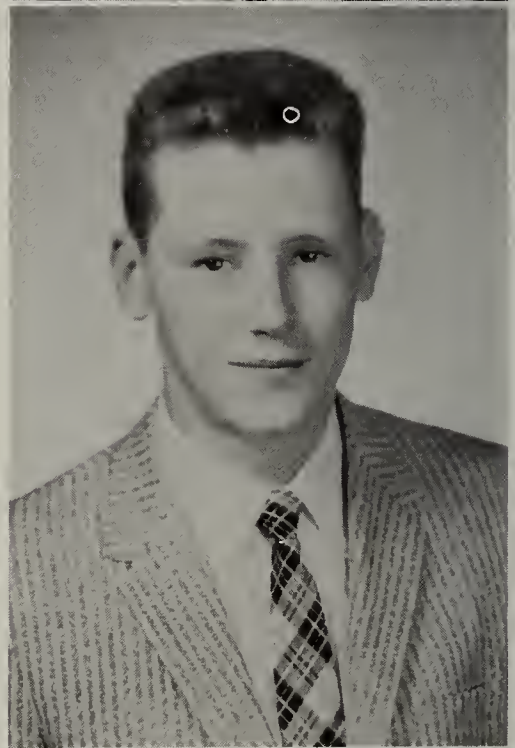


DONALD CORLISS

Drill Team 2; Basketball Int. 2; V Baseball 3, 4; Band 3, 4; Student Council 3, 4; Class Officer, Vice President 4.

THOMAS C. CRONIN

V Football 2, 3, 4; V Basketball 2, 3, 4; V Baseball 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Officer 3, 4; Music Group 4.



ALAN D. FRAZIER

Int. Basketball 2; Band 3; Radio Club 3, 4; Art 3.

ROBERT H. GRIGNON

JV Basketball 1, 2; V Basketball 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Officer 3, 4; Music Group 4. Student Council 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4.







JOHN KRZYZANOWSKI

Drill Team 2, 3; V Basketball 3; V Football 2, 3, 4; Stamp Club 1, 2; Student Council 1; Art Class 3.

WARREN R. LINDSEY

Radio Club 3, 4; Art 3, 4; Drill Team 3, 4; Yearbook Staff; Chorus; Int. Basketball 3; Hot Rod Fan!



DAVID E. MACIEL

Int. Basketball 3; Sea Scout 3; Assistant Editor Yearbook 4.

JOHN MAGAZU

V Basketball 3, 4; Int. Basketball 3; V Baseball 4; V Football 4.



DONALD G. OKE

Int. Basketball 1, 2, 3; JV Baseball 2; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Scouting Group 2, 3, 4; Radio Club 3, 4; Art 3, 4.

RONALD A. OKE

Int. Basketball 1, 2, 3; Scouting Group 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Stamp Club 2, 3; Radio Club 3, 4; Art 3.





VLADIMIR SUNDA

Int. Basketball 3; Radio Club 3, 4; Drill Team 3, 4; Class Officer 3, 4.

DONALD B. TAYLOR

V Football 2, 3, 4; V Basketball 2, 3, 4; V Baseball 2, 3, 4; Student Council 3, 4; Drill Team 2, 3, 4; Sea Scout 3; Wrestling 4.

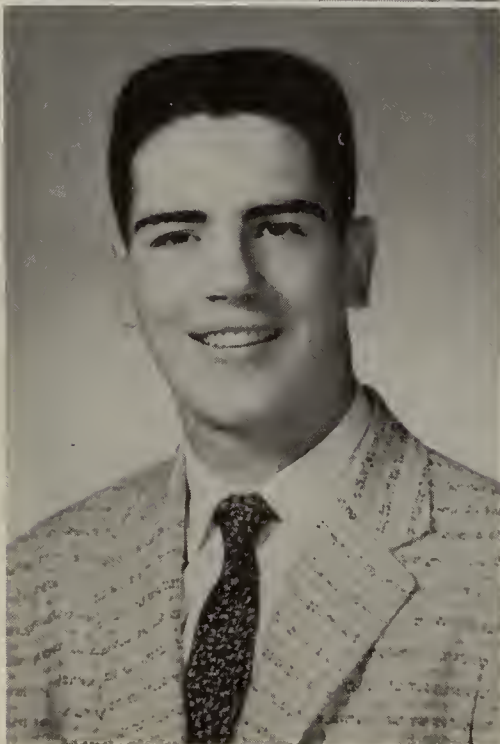


THEODORE C. WEBER

Football 3, 4; Baseball 3, 4; Basketball 3, 4; Band 3, 4; Music Group 4. Sea Scout 3.

WILLIAM A. WEBER

JV and V Basketball, Baseball and Football 2, 3, 4; Band 2, 3, 4; Sea Scout 2, 3, 4.




WILLIAM WELLINGTON

V Baseball 1; Int. Baseball 2, 3, 4; Int. Basketball 2, 3, 4; V Football 3, 4.





# CLASSES



*And this our life, exempt from public haunt,  
Finds tongues in trees, books in the running  
brooks,  
Sermons in stones, and good in everything.*

SHAKESPEARE

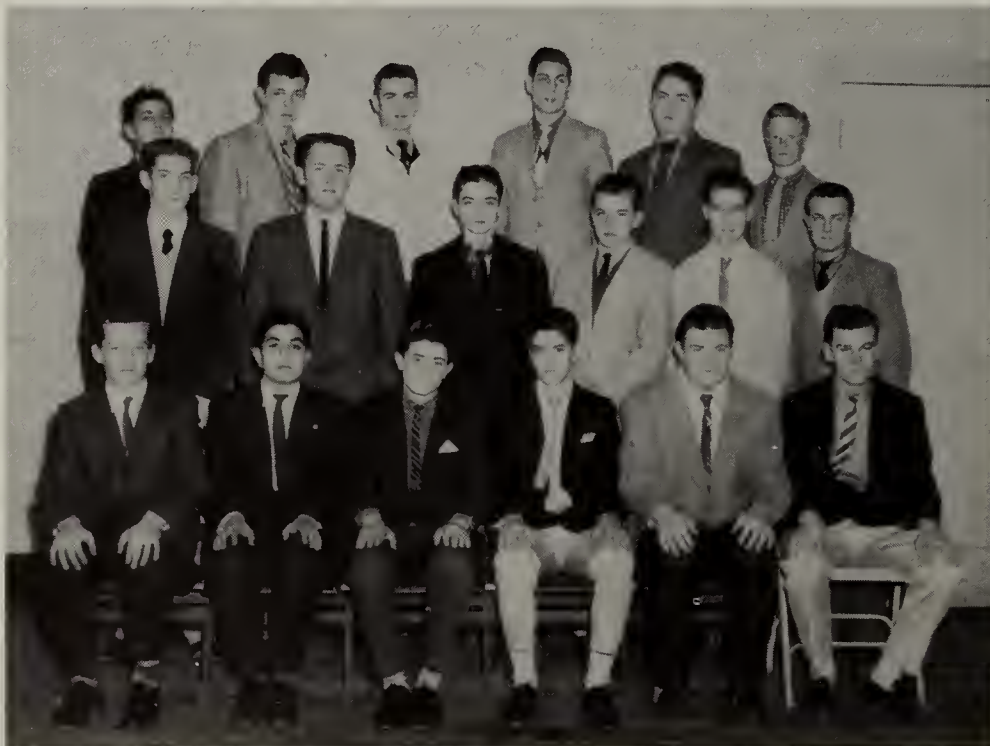
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TOP ROW: Peter Hersey, Frank Antinerella, Franklin Besecker, Richard Staples, Arthur Long, John Brennan. BOTTOM ROW: Alfred Watts, John Beeman, Joseph Christoferi, George McPeek, Kenneth Ford, James Pendleton.

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TOP ROW: M. Veglas, R. King, R. Browne, T. Parker, P. Arthur, H. Morse. CENTER ROW: P. Harrington, K. Rice, G. Ford, J. Mitchell, M. Rosnov, H. Spinney. BOTTOM ROW: H. Hanna, G. Sayer, W. Puolack, P. Harris, F. Mercier, C. Hill.

The Senior Class is wishing these classes the best in the future.





LAST ROW: Ronley Bates, Larry Matson, Charles W. Rolfe, Edward R. Woods, Robert S. Wooten. CENTER ROW: Robert T. Dodge, James Galli, Thomas Stone, Walter Wojcik, Serge Lomoth, James Gorman. BOTTOM ROW: Martha J. Lindsey, Davia Mitchell, Ralph Patterson, George Mader, Roderic Dewar, Malcolm McCormick.

FRESHMEN

#### JUNIOR HIGH

LAST ROW: R. Snell, R. Laubinger, D. Maciel, J. Connolly, J. Ripley, A. Mowatt, R. Phillips, P. Colman. CENTER ROW: W. Koolman, S. Rosnov, H. Guilford, J. Rolfe, T. Stuart, R. Wolfenden, W. Frazier, R. Milton, T. Harbinson, W. English. FRONT ROW: G. Antonio, A. White, W. Litchfield, B. Woods, R. Marston, R. Hansen, L. Bella.







TOP LEFT: Let us study...  
ABOVE: Work and ocean breeze...  
BELOW: Parlez vous francais?  
BOTTOM: It's cool...

TOP: ... always busy...  
ABOVE: Too flat...  
BELOW: ... hard problems...  
BOTTOM: ... us... lazy... ? . ? .





# ORGANIZATIONS

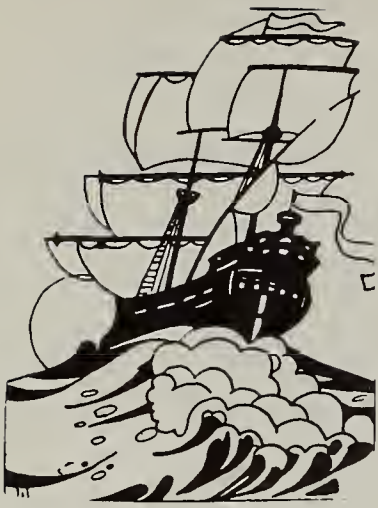
*All the world's a stage*

*And all the men and women merely  
players:*

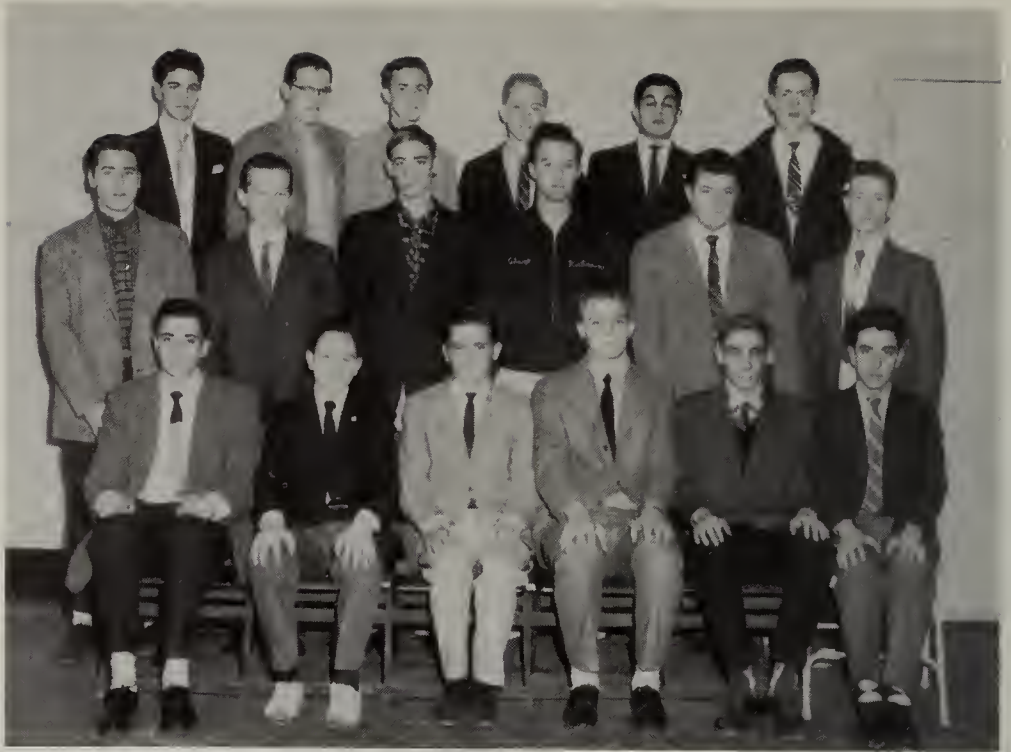
*They have their exits and their  
entrances;*

*And one man in his time plays  
many parts, . . .*

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THE  
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THE  
RADIO CLUB.

THE  
DRILL TEAM.





## STUDENT COUNCIL



BACK ROW: R. Dewar, A. Watts, F. Mercier, C. Hill, J. Pendleton, W. Litchfield, R. Hansen. FRONT ROW: Mr. R. Lindsey, D. Corliss, K. Ford, R. Grignon, H. Hanna, D. Taylor, Miss M. Lindsey.

## BOY SCOUTS

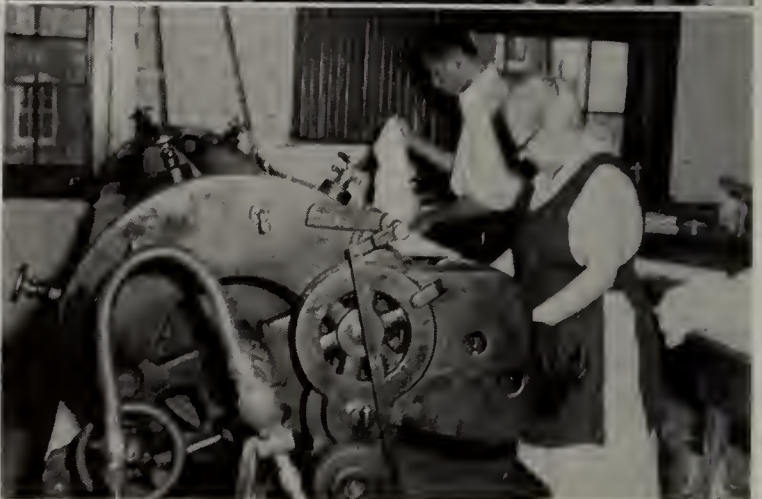
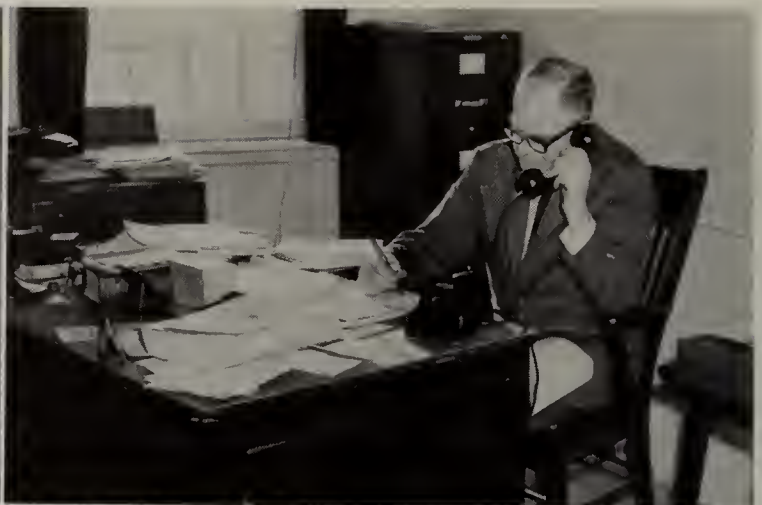


BACK ROW:  
Laubinger  
Ripley  
Phillips  
Bella  
Milton  
Harbinson  
Kooiman

CENTER:  
Bates  
C. Rolfe  
Gorman  
J. Rolfe  
Antonio  
Mr. Cunning

FRONT: White, Patterson, D. Mitchell, Mader, Colman, Litchfield.





TOP: There is a job...  
 ABOVE: Having fun???  
 BELOW:... What's for supper?  
 BOTTOM: A dear face. Nice having it  
 around.

TOP:...hold the line...  
 ABOVE: ...and this is a sheet  
 BELOW: ...let's see...  
 BOTTOM: Such a nice day outside!!!



# ATHLETICS

*O! It is excellent  
To have a giant's strength;  
but it is tyrannous  
To use it like a giant.*

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# FOOTBALL



LAST ROW: Arthur Long, Frank Antinerella, Joseph Cristoferi, Edwin G. King, Peter Hersey, Larry Matson, Philip Harris.  
CENTER ROW: Donald Corliss, George McPeek, Harold Hanna, Francis Mercier, Franklin Besecker, Donald Taylor, Coach R. Thomas. FRONT ROW: Theodore Weber, William Wellington, Robert Grignon, Thomas Cronin, John Krzyzanowski, William Weber, Manager Robert Dodge.

WON 3

LOST 3





# BASKETBALL



WON 5

LOST 8



Kenneth Ford, Ralph Patterson, Frank Antinerella, George Argyle, William Weber, Robert Grignon, Frank Besecker, Thomas Stone, Jack Beeman, Thomas Parker, Richard Staples, Theodore Weber, Thomas Cronin, Harold Hanna, William Poulack, Larry Matson, Philip Harris.





BASEBALL

COACH RAYMOND  
THOMAS

BACK ROW: Carlton Hill, William Poulack, Frank Antinerella, Rex Browne, Franklin Besecker, Larry Matson, Ralph Patterson. FRONT ROW: Theodore Weber, Thomas Cronin, Mr. Thomas, William Weber, Donald Taylor, Robert Grignon.

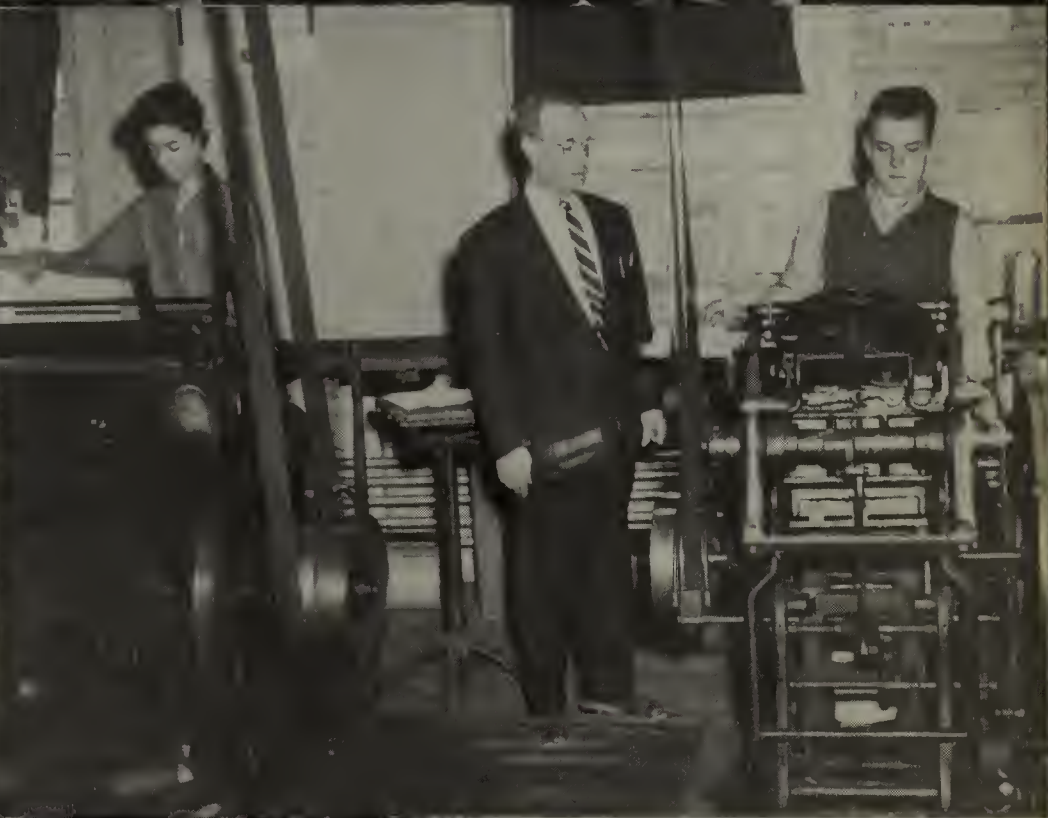
FOOTBALL COEFFICIENT

BACK ROW: Bernard Woods, Gregory Ford, James Galli, Robert Marston, Richard King, Timothy Stuart, George Mader. CENTER ROW: Allan Mowatt, James Gorman, Roderick Dewar, John Mitchell, Charles Rolfe, Edward Woods, Harold Spinney, Mr. Cunning. FRONT ROW: William English, Walter Wojcik, Jack Beeman, Ralph Patterson, Thomas Stone, John Brennan, Thomas Parker. Manager: Robert Laubinger.

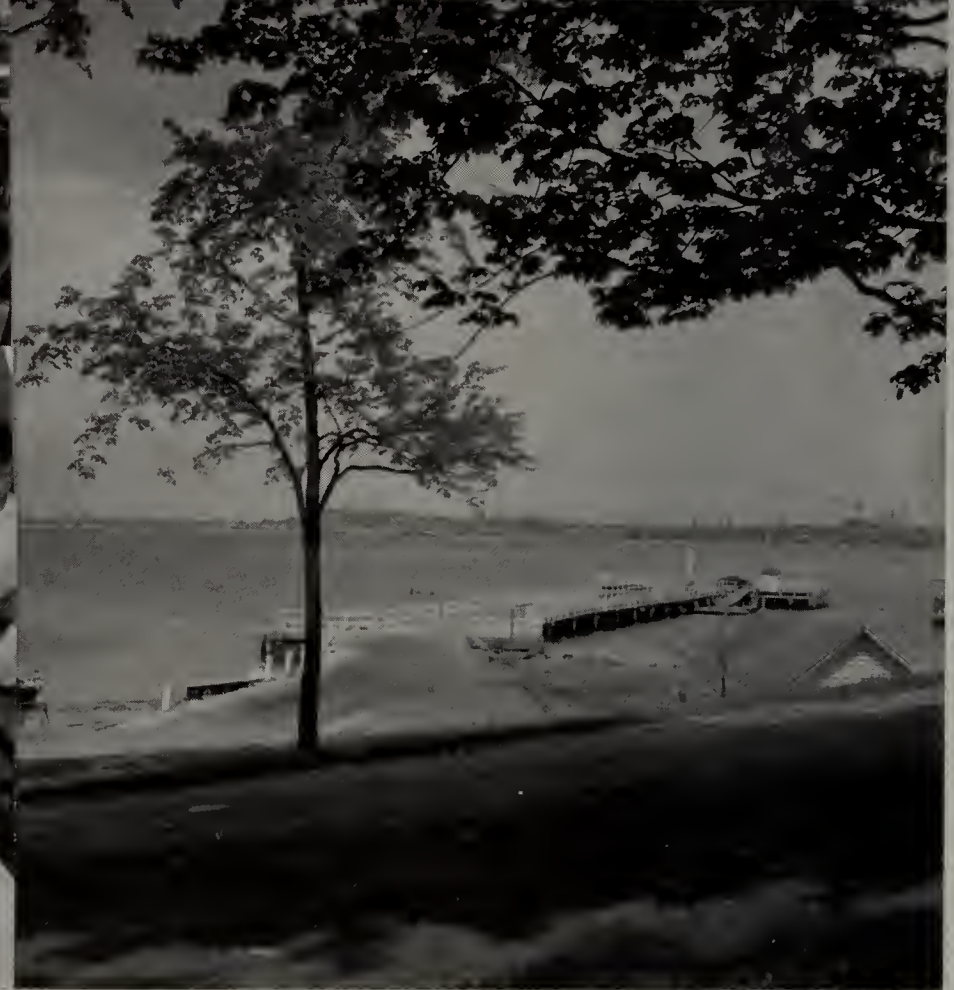
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MR. WILLIAM  
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And it must follow, as the night the day,  
Thou canst not then be false to any man.*

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